

## RHODE ISLAND

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SELECTED <b>ECONOMIC</b> CHARACTERISTICS					
	2005 Estimate	2004 Estimate	2003 Estimate	2002 Estimate	2001 Estimate
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>					
<b>Population 16 years and over</b>	<b>816,796</b>	<b>823,679</b>	<b>820,036</b>	<b>821,678</b>	<b>800,222</b>
In labor force	554,032	551,314	559,470	546,255	530,030
Civilian labor force	551,545	549,975	556,750	544,573	526,326
Employed	517,678	513,723	519,360	511,505	495,282
Unemployed	33,867	36,252	37,390	33,068	31,044
Percent unemployed	6.1	6.6	6.7	6.1	5.9
Armed Forces	2,487	1,339	2,720	1,682	3,704
Not in labor force	262,764	272,365	260,566	275,423	270,192
<b>Females 16 years and over</b>	<b>430,200</b>	<b>434,174</b>	<b>430,746</b>	<b>433,247</b>	<b>422,670</b>
In labor force	267,895	266,006	270,225	262,532	251,211
Civilian labor force	267,298	265,642	269,235	262,237	251,132
Employed	250,576	247,529	251,935	247,855	236,595
<b>Own children under 6 years</b>	<b>74,722</b>	<b>68,174</b>	<b>71,247</b>	<b>74,059</b>	<b>72,851</b>
All parents in family in labor force	50,391	41,937	47,419	48,839	47,031
<b>Own children 6 to 17 years</b>	<b>159,907</b>	<b>163,234</b>	<b>158,650</b>	<b>154,209</b>	<b>159,083</b>
All parents in family in labor force	117,549	116,289	112,742	108,020	108,330
<b>Population 16 to 19 years</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>46,840</b>	<b>45,408</b>	<b>45,956</b>	<b>43,578</b>
Not enrolled in school and not a H.S. graduate	N	4,320	3,209	3,292	4,044

Unemployed or not in the labor force	N	2,858	2,302	1,671	2,464
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>					
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b>	<b>500,588</b>	<b>492,837</b>	<b>502,797</b>	<b>495,494</b>	<b>481,044</b>
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	408,417	407,737	427,734	414,165	401,982
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	44,664	46,151	41,715	39,403	41,579
Public transportation (including taxicab)	13,286	10,811	8,708	11,856	10,009
Walked	12,701	8,416	8,137	8,630	12,121
Other means	7,596	5,580	4,922	8,758	4,446
Worked at home	13,924	14,142	11,581	12,682	10,907
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	22.7	23.1	21.8	22.2	21.9
<b>Employed civilian population 16 years and over</b>					
	<b>517,676</b>	<b>513,723</b>	<b>519,360</b>	<b>511,505</b>	<b>495,282</b>
<b>OCCUPATION</b>					
Management, professional, and related occupations	188,087	179,466	188,777	178,556	173,496
Service occupations	86,701	90,711	86,926	81,067	77,873
Sales and office occupations	128,812	131,733	137,056	135,002	127,868
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	853	1,612	611	968	1,389
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	44,285	45,800	35,255	44,535	37,050
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	68,940	64,401	70,735	71,377	77,606
<b>INDUSTRY</b>					
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	2,612	1,840	1,972	1,462	2,119
Construction	34,585	36,610	28,016	34,621	25,032
Manufacturing	68,567	65,112	71,668	77,654	83,318
Wholesale trade	14,978	15,005	19,013	17,421	14,390
Retail trade	64,591	58,941	62,687	59,227	55,657
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	18,136	17,655	18,868	20,403	20,056
Information	10,332	8,367	8,669	10,417	12,560
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	41,246	43,723	42,567	38,510	39,764

Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	42,222	45,382	47,085	48,047	38,574
Educational, health, and social services	123,941	123,506	121,065	115,204	118,108
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	51,105	47,326	47,199	45,984	42,168
Other services (except public administration)	24,140	26,828	22,294	18,126	23,909
Public administration	21,223	20,428	28,257	24,429	19,627
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>					
Private wage and salary workers	419,123	415,216	411,268	410,568	401,397
Government workers	68,349	65,535	76,598	72,737	66,030
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	29,707	32,136	30,731	27,356	27,154
Unpaid family workers	499	836	763	844	701
<b>INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2003 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)</b>					
<b>Total households</b>	<b>406,089</b>	<b>409,767</b>	<b>411,579</b>	<b>408,272</b>	<b>405,935</b>
Less than \$10,000	33,638	35,590	36,665	39,093	43,923
\$10,000 to \$14,999	28,575	30,298	28,448	25,576	28,036
\$15,000 to \$24,999	39,862	46,913	45,031	44,465	50,129
\$25,000 to \$34,999	40,875	41,960	42,903	46,601	44,773
\$35,000 to \$49,999	55,004	54,804	56,327	63,344	62,367
\$50,000 to \$74,999	78,650	83,081	85,979	87,686	79,756
\$75,000 to \$99,999	51,949	53,677	53,229	43,378	46,384
\$100,000 to \$149,999	49,663	42,117	41,677	39,608	32,829
\$150,000 to \$199,999	16,598	11,552	13,426	10,752	11,294
\$200,000 or more	11,275	9,775	7,894	7,769	6,444
Median household income (dollars)	51,458	48,722	48,854	45,634	42,784
Mean household income (dollars)	65,845	59,987	59,872	58,448	55,089
With earnings	318,375	322,076	324,284	318,897	309,865
Mean earnings (dollars)	68,556	61,927	63,362	61,082	58,594
With Social Security	113,479	113,321	115,789	113,647	113,767
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	13,499	13,366	12,035	12,335	12,019
With retirement income	71,890	73,748	68,854	74,722	70,847
Mean retirement income (dollars)	19,052	17,020	16,042	15,211	15,472

With Supplemental Security Income	22,615	19,530	21,728	20,091	19,515
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,069	7,722	6,897	7,215	6,572
With cash public assistance income	11,117	16,431	13,867	14,432	17,491
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	4,296	4,385	4,708	4,215	3,919
With Food Stamp benefits in the past 12 months	25,076	27,878	24,215	25,583	27,495
<b>Families</b>	<b>259,048</b>	<b>367,908</b>	<b>265,431</b>	<b>266,939</b>	<b>256,244</b>
Less than \$10,000	13,729	16,529	13,009	14,714	15,406
\$10,000 to \$14,999	9,682	11,039	8,409	8,371	8,563
\$15,000 to \$24,999	17,396	23,481	24,362	23,673	27,376
\$25,000 to \$34,999	21,154	24,265	23,849	25,345	25,604
\$35,000 to \$49,999	33,189	36,070	35,636	42,774	39,725
\$50,000 to \$74,999	57,331	60,154	60,504	64,982	58,158
\$75,000 to \$99,999	40,909	41,771	43,835	37,320	38,170
\$100,000 to \$149,999	41,319	35,754	37,299	33,333	28,466
\$150,000 to \$199,999	14,684	10,207	11,644	9,579	9,075
\$200,000 or more	9,655	8,638	6,884	6,848	5,701
Median family income (dollars)	64,657	58,978	60,165	55,810	54,486
Mean family income (dollars)	78,410	70,147	71,543	69,135	66,042
Per capita income (dollars)	27,217	25,087	24,669	24,484	23,267
<b>Nonfamily households</b>	<b>147,041</b>	<b>141,859</b>	<b>146,148</b>	<b>141,333</b>	<b>149,691</b>
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	29,435	28,169	26,874	27,156	25,822
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	41,521	38,081	36,101	36,511	34,464
<b>Median earnings (dollars):</b>	<b>30,742</b>	<b>29,475</b>	<b>28,879</b>	<b>27,404</b>	<b>27,291</b>
Male full-time, year-round workers	46,127	42,040	42,605	41,647	40,274
Female full-time, year-round workers	35,522	33,437	32,498	30,744	30,369
<b>NUMBER BELOW POVERTY IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS</b>					
<b>Families</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>21,648</b>	<b>21,602</b>	<b>22,998</b>
With related children under 18 years	N	N	17,212	17,248	18,655
With related children under 5 years only	N	N	3,193	4,176	4,036

<b>Families with female householder, no husband present</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>14,146</b>	<b>15,544</b>	<b>13,622</b>
With related children under 18 years	N	N	12,407	14,054	12,889
With related children under 5 years only	N	N	2,654	3,629	3,005
<b>Individuals</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>116,759</b>	<b>110,089</b>	<b>122,334</b>
18 years and over	N	N	77,254	73,701	79,138
65 years and over	N	N	14,978	14,434	14,858
Related children under 18 years	N	N	38,267	35,011	41,825
Related children 5 to 17 years	N	N	25,899	23,496	28,874
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	N	N	41,519	42,443	43,707
<b>PERCENT BELOW POVERTY IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS</b>					
<b>Individuals</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>12</b>
18 years and over	10.0	10.3	9.7	9.3	10.2
65 years and over	8.0	8.5	10.6	10.0	10.5
Related children under 18 years	19.2	20.7	16.2	15.0	17.4
Related children under 5 years	22.1	22.5	20.5	19.0	20.8
Related children 5 to 17 years	18.2	20.2	14.8	13.5	16.2
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	20.1	20.8	20.9	21.3	21.1

#### Footnotes

N = data not available

The American Community Survey universe is limited to the household population and excludes the population living in institutions, college dormitories, and other group quarters. Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate is represented through the use of a confidence interval. The confidence interval computed here is a 90 percent confidence interval and can be interpreted roughly as providing 90 percent certainty that the true number falls between the lower and upper bounds.

The number of householders does not necessarily equal the number of households because of differences in the weighting schemes for the population and occupied housing units.











